definite time frame can be indicated for commencement of actual operations at this stage.

Construction of Over Bridges in Kerala

1971. SHRI P.C. THOMAS : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the number of requests for construction of over bridges in Kerala are pending with the Government;

(b) if not, the reasons therefor?

(c) whether there is need and demand for over bridge at Thripunthura, Irimpanam and Mulanthuruthy in Ernakulam district in Kerala;

(d) if so, whether the Government proposes to build railway over bridges in these places; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ) : (a) and (b). Five proposals have been made but as yet the prerequisite formalities have not been completed by State Govt.

(c) to (e). No proposals have been made by State Government for Road Over Bridges at Thripunthura, Irimpanam and Mulanthuruthy in Ernakulam Distt. of Kerala.

[Translation]

Irregularities in Maharashtra

1972. DR. G.R. Sarode : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) the number of cases registered against the employees of telecommunication in Maharashtra during the last three years, district-wise;

(b) the number of cases out of them disposed off; and

(c) the number of cases in which investigation is going on?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI BENI PRASAD VARMA) : (a) to (c) The information is given below :-

	Maharashtra Telecom Circle Mumbai	MTNL Mumbai	Western Telecom Maintenance Mumbai	Western Telecom Project Mumbai	Remarks
(a)	144	48	25	-	Districtwise breakup is given in the statement
(b)	103	46	22		-
(c)	41	2	3	-	-

STATEMENT

Circle	District	Total No. of Cases Registered			
		93-94	94-95	95-96	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6
Maharashtra	Nagpur	3	5	5	13
	Aurangabad	1	2	-	3
	Dhule	-	1	-	1
	Akola	-	2	1	3
	Nanded	3	6	6	15
	Kalyan	4	10	8	22
	Osmanabad	-	1	-	1
	Bhandara	-	2	2	4
	Chandrapur	3	1	-	4
	Ratnagiri	-	3	3	6
	Nasik	1	2	4	7